Atty. Dkt. No. 047711-021



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

OCT 0 9 2003

TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

Title:

AMBULATORY MEDICAL APPARATUS AND METHOD

USING A ROBUST COMMUNICATION

Ronald J. Lebel et al.

PROTOCOL

768

Appl. No.:

09/786,035

Filing Date:

01/22/2001

Examiner:

Daniel Leon Robinson

Art Unit:

3742

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

Mail Stop NON-FEE AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

I hereby certify that the following paper(s) and/or fee along with any attachments referred to or identified as being attached or enclosed are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail under 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a) on the date of deposit shown below with sufficient postage and in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

- 1. Amendment Transmittal Letter
- 2. Amendment and Response to Restriction Requirement dated September 5, 2003
- 3. Postcard

Respectfully submitted,

Date October 3, 2003

FOLEY & LARDNER

Customer Number: 23392

Telephone:

(310) 975-7963

Facsimile:

(310) 557-8475

Irvin C. Harrington,/III

Attorney for Applicant

Registration No. 44,740



OCT 0 9 2003

TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

Atty. Dkt. No. 047711-0214



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Ronald J. Lebel et al.

Title:

AMBULATORY MEDICAL APPARATUS AND METHOD

USING A ROBUST

COMMUNICATION PROTOCOL

768

Appl. No.:

09/786,035

Filing Date: 1/22/2001

Examiner:

Daniel Leon Robinson

Art Unit:

3742

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop NON-FEE AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.

Assertion of Small Entity status is enclosed. []

The fee required for additional claims is calculated below: [X]

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	43		43	=	0	х	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independents:	4		4	=	0	x	\$86.00	=	\$0.00
First presentat	ion of any	Mu	ltiple Depe	nde	ent	+	\$290.00	=	\$0.00

~1	•	
ťΊ	aims	٠
	anns	

_	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	CLAIMS FEE TOTAL: =	\$0.00
[]		oplicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § cal number of months checked below:	§1.136(a) for the
-	[]	Extension for response filed within the first month: \$110.00	\$0.00
	[]	Extension for response filed within the second month: \$420.00	\$0.00
	[]	Extension for response filed within the third month: \$950.00	\$0.00
	[]	Extension for response filed within the fourth month: \$1,480.00	\$0.00
	[]	Extension for response filed within the fifth month: \$2,010.00	\$0.00
		EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:	\$0.00
	[]	Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d): \$110.00 CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE	\$0.00
		TOTAL:	\$0.00
	[]	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):	\$0.00
		TOTAL FEE:	\$0.00
]	thi	ease charge Deposit Account No. 50-0872 in the amount of \$0.00. s transmittal is enclosed.	A duplicate copy
]	Α	check in the amount of \$0.00 is enclosed.	
[X]	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional	fees which may be
		required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17,	or credit any

overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0872. Should no proper payment be

otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is

authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 50-0872. If any

enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated,

Atty. Dkt. No. 047711-0214

extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0872.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date 10-3-03

FOLEY & LARDNER

Customer Number: 23392

Telephone:

(310) 975-7963

Facsimile:

(310) 557-8475

By

Irvin C. Harrington, III Attorney for Applicant Registration No. 44,740



RECEIVED

OCT 0 9 2003

TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

Atty. Dkt. No. 047711-0214

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Ronald J. Lebel et al.

Title:

AMBULATORY MEDICAL APPARATUS AND METHOD

USING A ROBUST

COMMUNICATION PROTOCOL

768

Appl. No.:

09/786,035

Filing Date: 01/22/2001

Examiner:

Daniel Leon Robinson

Art Unit:

3742

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop NON-FEE AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated September 5, 2003, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this document.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: